NHs in Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh

†1134. SHRI PYARELAL KHANDELWAL: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any policy has been prepared for the development of National Highways, the details thereof;

(b) whether a few stretches of National Highways in the States of Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan are still incomplete;

(c) if so, the steps taken to sanction them;

(d) whether the thickness of National Highways in these States is as per IRC norms;

(e) if not, whether Government proposes to work according to prescribed norms; and

(f) if so, by when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIAPPA): (a) The development of National Highways (NH) is a continuous process and the works are taken up according to the traffic density and condition of roads, *inter-se* priority and availability of funds.

(b) and (c) There is about 22.6 km. length of missing link on the NH-78 in the State of Madhya Pradesh. The work for preparation of Detailed Project Report for construction of this mission link has been sanctioned. The total length of missing links on NHs in the State of Rajasthan is about 32 km. on NH-65 and 1.1 km. on NH-11A respectively. The process of land acquisition has been initiated for the above mentioned missing link on NH-65. The work for construction of the missing link on NH-11A has been sanctioned.

(d) to (f) The thickness of the pavements of some stretches of NHs, particularly in the NHs declared since February, 2004, including those in the States of Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan, are deficient with respect to the standards set in the relevant codes published by the Indian Roads Congress (IRC). Such deficiencies are assessed in detail only when strengthening works on pavements are included in the Annual Plan of works as well as for projects taken up under the National Highways Development Project (NHDP) and the provisions for thickness of pavements are made on the basis of designs as per IRC codes within the available resources. Works of strengthening of pavements are taken up within the available resources and as per the *inter-se* priority of works. No time frame can be given for completion of strengthening of deficient pavements in the entire NH network due to availability of limited resources.

Utilization of surcharge on petrol and diesel

†1135. SHRI LALIT KISHORE CHATURVEDI: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of funds allocated to his Ministry out of the amount recovered as surcharge on Petrol, Diesel, etc. from the year 2004-05 to till date and the basis of this allocation, State-wise and year-wise;

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) the quantum of funds out of above allocations spent on new construction, repair works and repayment of loan separately with the details thereof, State-wise and year-wise; and

(c) whether the approval of Parliament was sought for allocation of these funds?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIAPPA): (a) At present Rs. 2.00 per litre is levied as additional excise duty on petrol and diesel which is first credited to the Consolidated Fund of India and thereafter, Parliament by appropriation credit such proceeds after adjusting cost of collection, to the Central Road Fund (CRF). The CRF is, thereafter, distributed by Planning Commission amongst three Ministries *i.e.* Ministry of Rural Development, Ministry of Railways and Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport and Highways (Department of Road Transport and Highways) in the manner prescribed under Section 10(viii) of the Central Road Fund Act, 2000. The funds allocated to this Ministry for the years 2004-05 to 2008-09 for implementation of different schemes are given below:

Year	Investment in NHAI for development of NHDP	Grants-in-Aid to State for development of State Highways and major district roads	Grants-in-Aid to States and UTs for development of roads of Economic Importance and Inter-State connectivity (EI and ISC)
2004-05	1848.00	868.00	96.00
2005-06	3269.74	1535.36	170.59
2006-07	6407.45	1535.46	170.61
2007-08	6541.06	1565.32	173.93
2008-09	6972.47	1671.64	185.74

Funds allocated to NHAI for development of NHDP are not allocated State-wise. However, funds for development of State Roads are allocated State-wise on the basis of 60% weightage for petrol and diesel consumption in the State and 40% weightage to the geographical area of the State.

(b) Funds allocated to NHAI are exclusively for development of National Highways under National Highways Development Project (NHDP). Amount of CRF released to NHAI alongwith other Budgetary Resources as well as borrowed funds taken together are utilized for various pre-construction and construction related expenditure. No end use based accounts for a particular receipt of funds are maintained. State-wise and year-wise information regarding funds allocated under CRF to States and UTs for development of State roads and Centrally sponsored roads of E1 and ISC, during the years 2004-05 to 2008-09 (upto 31.01.2009) are given in Statement-I and Statement-II respectively.

(c) Yes, Sir. However, State-wise allocation of CRF is done by my Ministry within the overall Budgetary provisions under this Head.

Statement-I

Statement showing the State-wise fund allocated and amount released out of CRF for the years 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09 (upto 31.01.2009)

(Amount Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	State/UTs	2004-05		2005-06		2006-07		2007-08		2008-09 (Upto 31.01.2009)	
		Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1.	Andhra Pradesh	74.70	74.70	131.71	107.12	131.07	47.10	131.07	135.61	143.63	158.54
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	9.25	9.25	16.22	12.85	16.26	10.33	16.74	18.13	18.26	1.90
3.	Assam	13.57	13.57	24.72	24.72	24.61	18.60	26.13	26.13	27.42	14.65
4.	Bihar	21.91	6.28	39.57	21.83	38.65	22.91	38.52	16.16	40.59	27.48
5.	Chhattisgarh	20.28	0.00	37.13	24.71	38.63	22.72	40.35	40.35	43.66	26.52
6.	Goa	4.02	1.39	7.54	1.70	7.95	0.00	8.18	4.17	8.93	6.07
7.	Gujarat	55.21	55.21	97.72	97.72	96.60	96.60	97.07	97.07	104.84	104.64
8.	Haryana	32.09	32.09	53.51	37.46	56.57	56.57	61.56	54.76	66.18	73.05
9.	Himachal Pradesh	9.75	9.38	17.23	13.16	17.24	12.16	18.07	15.48	19.34	2.01

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	27.43	20.56	48.60	38.63	49.04	30.84	50.86	50.85	54.92	54.01
11.	Jharkhand	17.44	0.00	32.09	23.99	34.03	10.26	35.37	17.02	34.85	29.89
12.	Karnataka	52.76	52.76	95.13	95.13	94.70	108.81	97.92	102.42	103.82	114.78
13.	Kerala	25.20	25.20	46.21	46.21	45.92	30.92	48.42	29.45	48.58	31.93
14.	Madhya Pradesh	52.01	52.01	93.29	91.34	93.69	81.24	93.85	93.85	100.29	38.67
15.	Maharashtra	91.60	0.00	158.71	158.00	156.61	214.95	161.49	96.68	175.89	171.42
16.	Manipur	3.06	3.06	5.07	3.77	5.09	3.22	5.28	3.86	5.84	0.60
17.	Meghalaya	3.96	3.96	7.57	6.60	7.73	5.51	8.12	4.06	8.54	7.77
18.	Mizoram	2.55	2.55	4.59	2.50	4.59	4.06	4.74	4.74	5.14	5.67
19.	Nagaland	2.13	2.22	3.82	1.40	3.98	2.87	4.13	4.42	4.34	0.45
20.	Orissa	27.27	21.17	48.87	29.52	50.63	50.63	52.14	31.66	56.25	38.20
21.	Punjab	37.36	28.66	63.05	24.03	63.82	62.30	62.90	52.92	65.39	52.82
22.	Rajasthan	67.87	67.87	121.16	121.16	119.80	134.12	119.83	132.45	130.60	180.60
23.	Sikkim	1.06	1.58	1.99	1.98	2.01	1.42	2.13	2.07	2.15	2.04
24.	Tamil Nadu	57.98	25.70	103.50	103.50	104.74	128.74	106.78	68.84	110.92	107.29
25.	Tripura	1.74	0.00	3.16	3.16	3.15	2.92	3.29	0.00	3.54	3.78
26.	Uttarakhand	10.13	0.00	18.25	6.94	18.46	18.46	19.07	14.02	20.96	10.54

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
27.	Uttar Pradesh	80.61	54.64	142.00	142.00	142.17	193.14	143.11	159.34	145.55	160.64
28.	West Bengal	32.60	39.93	56.14	56.14	54.21	66.86	53.65	35.70	55.40	24.22
29.	Andaman and Nicobar Island	1.69	0.00	2.90	0.58	1.86	0.75	1.90	0.50	3.27	0.00
30.	Chandigarh	2.04	2.02	3.47	1.01	2.24	1.01	2.28	0.00	3.51	0.00
31.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0.99	0.00	1.69	0.41	1.08	0.00	1.10	0.00	1.64	0.00
32.	Daman and Diu	0.70	0.00	1.22	0.00	0.77	0.00	0.79	0.00	1.24	0.00
33.	Delhi	24.98	0.00	43.84	0.00	43.84	22.27	44.69	9.50	48.45	0.00
34.	Lakshadweep	0.05	0.00	0.09	0.00	0.12	0.00	0.12	0.00	0.12	0.00

Statement-II

Statement showing the State-wise fund allocated and amount released under the schemes of EI and ISC for the years 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09 (upto 31.01.2009)

(Amount Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	State/UTs	2004-05		2005-06		2006-07		2007-08		2008-09 (Upto 31.01.2009)	
		Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released	Amt. Allocated	Amt. Released
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1.	Andhra Pradesh	7.01	2.57	14.91	14.91	5.83	0.00	5.91	0.00	5.29	3.93
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	8.91	6.50	5.21	3.00	3.88	3.87	6.38	5.20	4.07	3.39
3.	Assam	16.63	0.00	10.73	7.50	12.24	1.83	6.38	0.00	1.26	0.40
4.	Bihar	2.00	0.00	6.71	0.00	3.22	0.00	3.15	0.00	1.68	0.00
5.	Chhattisgarh	2.96	0.00	2.96	0.00	0.50	0.00	2.00	0.00	0.50	0.00
6.	Goa	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.00
7.	Gujarat	4.46	0.00	22.00	8.67	12.15	11.60	6.40	14.06	1.62	0.00
8.	Haryana	7.00	0.00	8.64	0.00	7.81	2.57	6.62	6.62	15.20	4.60
9.	Himachal Pradesh	0.00	0.00	2.00	0.00	2.09	0.00	2.05	1.89	2.06	1.80

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	0.00	0.00	1.30	0.00	0.99	0.00	1.73	0.00	3.77	0.00
11.	Jharkhand	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.94	0.00	2.69	0.00
12.	Karnataka	8.50	2.00	11.86	12.46	27.09	26.48	23.32	22.64	20.37	7.45
13.	Kerala	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.00	2.68	0.00	1.27	0.00
14.	Madhya Pradesh	4.48	0.00	6.55	0.00	8.83	0.00	12.81	6.89	4.62	0.00
15.	Maharashtra	2.76	0.00	9.52	2.01	5.57	0.00	20.71	18.84	8.35	0.00
16.	Manipur	0.10	0.00	0.55	0.00	1.54	1.29	0.08	0.00	1.65	0.00
17.	Meghalaya	0.30	0.00	0.51	0.00	2.46	1.50	0.72	0.64	0.44	0.00
18.	Mizoram	1.00	0.00	6.08	5.14	0.34	0.00	2.92	4.41	3.36	3.35
19.	Nagaland	2.95	0.00	3.97	3.75	3.68	3.68	5.75	5.20	6.96	4.75
20.	Orissa	4.10	2.60	8.70	7.03	17.03	17.03	12.08	1.90	45.30	28.74
21.	Punjab	0.00	0.00	5.20	1.73	5.03	3.71	2.83	2.52	3.47	3.47
22.	Rajasthan	0.50	0.00	7.28	7.28	7.31	6.67	5.91	10.97	18.00	17.27
23.	Sikkim	3.42	0.50	8.27	4.92	4.68	3.70	12.70	15.72	4.70	4.47
24.	Tamil Nadu	0.00	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.00	0.16	0.00	7.43	0.00
25.	Tripura	1.86	1.63	0.84	0.00	1.47	1.38	1.97	1.70	1.29	1.29

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
26.	Uttarakhand	6.17	0.00	8.93	7.69	6.87	2.79	6.38	5.50	2.38	0.00
27.	Uttar Pradesh	6.70	0.00	8.50	0.00	12.85	0.00	6.65	0.00	4.47	4.47
28.	West Bengal	0.00	0.00	0.82	0.00	7.60	5.00	5.70	5.00	3.41	1.30
29.	Chandigarh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	3.00	0.00
30.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.00	2.00	0.00	0.50	0.00
31.	Daman and Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.40	0.00	2.00	1.60	1.50	0.00
	Unallocated	4.19	0.00	8.05	0.00	5.65	0.00	4.00	0.00	5.00	0.00